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SUBJECT: 1. VISIT OF GILBERT B. DEVEY; NATIONAL SCIENCE
FOUNDATION (NSF); OCTOBER 25-27, 1977. 2. NSF/KISR INTER-
NATIONAL WORKSHOP ON BIO-SALINE RESEARCH AND FORTHCOMING
KISR/UNESCO MICROBIOLOGY MEETING.

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1. DEVEY, HEAD, MIDDLE EAST SECTION, NSF, DIVISION OF INTER-
NATIONAL PROGRAMS, HAS SCHEDULED VISIT AT KISR ON OCT. 26 TO
DISCUSS RESULTS OF BIO-SALINE WORKSHOP AND POSSIBILITY OF
UMBRELLA AGREEMENT BETWEEN NSF AND KISR FOR COOPERATION IN
THE FUTURE.

2. BIO-SALINE WORKSHOP WELL RECEIVED BY ALL PARTICIPANTS.
KISR REPRESENTATIVES MADE VALUABLE CONTRIBUTIONS. DEVEY
WILL CARRY WORKSHOP REPORT WITH HIM. A NUMBER (FIVE
PRESENTLY IDENTIFIED) OF U.S. BIO-SALINE EXPERTS INVITED BY
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KISR TO KISR/UNESCO MEETING, INCLUDING NSF SCIENTIST DR.
OSKAR ZABORSKY. ZABORSKY WILL WORK WITH KISR STAFF TO
DEVELOP INTEGRATED PROGRAM OF SUCH FOLLOW-ON PROJECTS AS
MAY RESULT FROM THE TWO WORKSHOPS.

3. DEVEY WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY HIS WIFE (ELIZABETH) AND

SCHEDULED ARRIVE KUWAIT FROM LONDON ON 25 OCTOBER VIA
BA-424 AT 2110 HOURS. KISR ARRANGING HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS
WITH HILTON PREFERRED BY TRAVELERS. EMB REQUESTED CONFIRM
TRAVELERS PLANS WITH KISR. DEVEY BELIEVES ONE FULL DAY AT
KISR ADEQUATE FOR PLANNED DISCUSSIONS BUT COULD ARRIVE ONE
DAY EARLIER (24 OCT.) IF DESIRED ESSENTIAL. DEPARTURE
FROM KUWAIT TO DOHA PLANNED 27 OCTOBER VIA KU-650 AT 0700
HOURS. CHRISTOPHER

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